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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application Of:)	
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MOSKOWITZ, Scott)	Group Art Unit: 2731
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Application Number: 08/674,726)	Examiner: LUTHER, W.
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Filed: July 2, 1996)	
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For: Exchange Mechanisms for Digital)	
Information Packages With)	
Bandwidth, Securitization,)	
Multichannel Digital)	
Watermarks)	

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following Remarks are submitted in response to the non-final Office Action issued in the subject application on December 21, 1999. It is believed that no fees are required to ensure entry and consideration of these Remarks. However, if any fees are required with the filing of this response, Applicants respectfully request that any such fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-0375.

REMARKS

1. Background

In a prior office action dated March 17, 1999, Examiner previously rejected all pending claims under 35 U.S.C. 103. Applicant responded to the 103 rejections on August 17, 1999. In the outstanding office action (to which Applicant is now responding), Examiner withdrew the 103 rejections, and instead, issued two rejections based on 35. U.S.C. § 112. The first such rejection is based on the written description requirement, and the second is based on the enablement requirement.